

Date: December 5, 2006

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES  
AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

In re Application of: AKIO SAITO

Application No.: 09/822,189

For: INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS AND METHOD, AND  
TELEVISION SIGNAL RECEIVING APPARATUS AND METHOD

Filed: April 2, 2001

Group Art Unit: 2622

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated June 5, 2006, of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 25-33 and 35.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate.

1.  A Petition for a \_\_\_\_ month extension of time to respond to the final rejection, together with the \$\_\_\_\_ extension fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17, was filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
2.  Applicants petition under 35 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for an additional one-month extension of time to respond to the final rejections. Please charge the \$570.00 extension fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 50-3939.
3.  Fee \$500.00  
  
 Fee \$250.00 (Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.)  
  
 Enclosed  
  
 Not required (fee paid in prior appeal)  
  
 Charge to Deposit Account No. 50-3939.

4.  Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 or 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.
5.  Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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